

THE RED CLOUD CHIEF

Editor Paddock has certainly proved himself the right man in the right place since his term in congress commenced. All classes, in all parts of the state unless indeed it be railroad monopolies, have been much benefited by his legislation and he has shown himself at all times ready to help the state in every way possible. Even railroad corporations have admitted his fairness in almost every step he has taken but perhaps the most beneficial of his public acts for the farmers was the bill he originated for the amendment of the Timber Culture Act. He is hard at work this winter and we may depend on much good being accomplished.

RAILROAD MAIL AT RED CLOUD.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.

S. C. Smith.
Red Cloud.

Mail service has just been ordered on railroad from Hastings to Red Cloud, also increased service to Cawker City commencing same time.

A. S. PADDICK.

The above was received by our banker friend Smith, who has done so much already for our town and county, in response to a letter urging railroad mail service. Our thanks are due to Senator Paddock for the promptness with which he has acted in this as in all other matters of interest to Nebrascans; also to Mr. S. for the laying of our needs before the senator who immediately had them before the postoffice department with the aforesaid result.

As it may be of interest to our readers to know where the postoffices in Webster County are situated, we give them as follows:

P. O.	Sec.	T.	R.
Red Cloud,	2	1	11
Guide Rock,	10	1	9
Hayale	34	2	12
Catherston	6	3	11
Weis	12	4	12
Wheeland	20	4	12
Scott	21	1	12
Batin	12	3	11
Clowerton	24	4	11
Negunda	12	4	9
Eckley	4	2	9
Hillwater	24	3	10
Thomasville	10	3	9
Edna	33	3	10

Any teacher or school child may easily draw a map of the county and locate the offices in their proper places and thus learn their relative distance and direction from each other.

SCHOOL APPORTIONMENT.

The following is an abstract of School Funds subject to Apportionments December 18, 1878.

Int on Unpaid Principal of School Lands	\$6,349.50
Int on Unpaid lease of same 20 132.00	
State Tax	44,817.15
Int on State Bonds " Co "	17,050.69
From other sources	350.00
Total	\$102,781.97

Number pupils in State between ages of 5 and 21, is 104,017.

Rate per pupil is \$0.9854

The Apportionment to Webster Co is \$1,710.65

B. R. THOMPSON
State Asst Public Instruction.

THE INTER OCEAN.
WEEKLY, \$1.15; SEMI-WEEKLY,
\$2.50, DAILY, \$10.00.

THE INTER OCEAN, as a political journal, stands confessedly at the head of the Republican press of the West, and as a readable and reliable newspaper has a reputation second to none. While it has never swerved in the support of party principles, has never failed to do its full duty in critical times, and has never hesitated to strike hard blows in defense of the Republican cause, it has never ceased to be a good newspaper, independent of all political and party considerations.

With the record of seven years' conscientious work and efficient services to bind it is a certificate of character. The Inter Ocean enters upon the work of a new year, enters upon the work of a year the most important perhaps in its history and the most momentous in the history of the Republican party. Lines are already forming for the great battle of 1880, and the country has never felt the need of staunch and able supporters of principle for the sake of principle as it will in the coming year. It has been the good fortune of The Inter Ocean to lead in the formation of public opinion, and to have a tremendous following. It has maintained this position as leader because of its unquestioned loyalty to the fundamental principles of the party, its boldness in defending them, and its fairness in discussing great political questions. As The Inter Ocean has sounded the key note of the contests in past years, Republicans will look to it as a faithful guide and leader in the coming year. And they will not be disappointed. The paper will stand, as it always has stood, the organ of no faction or clique, battling in the front rank for the principles that have made the country what it is.

The Inter Ocean expects to receive from enemies and opponents hard blows and to return them with interest. From republicans and friends it expects only such consideration and fairness as any political journal may claim at the hands of those interested in the success of the party and in the triumph of party principles. The issues are sharply defined. On the one side is the solid South aided by the Democratic party; on the other the republican party. Naturally at such a time republicans will turn to a paper able, aggressive, and of unquestioned loyalty. All that we ask is that they judge *The Inter Ocean* by its own utterances, and not by what democratic organs and envious rivals say of it.

Outside of party considerations republicans will choose the best newspaper. And in this particular *The Inter Ocean* has no superior. It is in every sense of the word a national newspaper presenting home and foreign news in attractive shape, and accompanying it with intelligent comment.

It will be as surprising as any of its contemporaries more accurate and more discriminating. For two years its cable dispatches have been full and of higher character than those of any other Western journal; its Washington and foreign correspondence more readable, covering more topics of special and general interest, while its home correspondence more varied and more complete. All these departments will be continued, with such improvements added as experience may suggest and increased facilities for collecting news allow.

Independent of politics and news, men want a symmetrical, interesting, and wholesome journal for the family and the home. They will find such a paper in *The Inter Ocean*, which devotes more attention than any other political newspaper to departments prepared and conducted with the want of home and family in view. This applies to Agricultural, Domestic, Educational, Scientific, and Social matters.

The Curiosity Shop covering answers to all sorts of political, scientific and general questions, will receive more attention, even, than in the past years, and will be a complete encyclopedia of information not accessible outside the great reference libraries of large cities. In this department THE INTER OCEAN has been without a rival, and, realizing the importance of the department, the publishers have made arrangements not only to maintain its high character, but to make it answer more completely the demands of subscribers.

The Home Department has within the past year assumed a new character and a new importance. It is the outgrowth of the INTER OCEAN's policy of fostering home interest, and while it is unique in its freshness and its plan, it is unequalled in its interest and in the amount of suggestive and practical information on house-topics.

The Agricultural Department will be in charge of one of the most experienced agricultural editors in the West, and will give each week timely hints, suggestions, and discussions of practical interest.

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Without a doubt THE NORTHERN INDIANIAN is the best weekly paper published within the borders of Indiana. It is a large forty-column folio—the largest in the country—and each number is filled to repletion with Indiana news, editorials on every subject, Choice Fragments of history, select sketches, and letters from its own correspondents, enables it to furnish its readers with a splendid Continued Story, in addition to its large amount of Miscellaneous reading matter, and it is conceded by every one to be the best paper published in the old Hoosier State. In the first number of the year 1879, will commence a new story entitled,

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